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yellow, very large flower..... .07 .70 5.00 25.00

g 10 Yellow Rose-Splendid late golden yellow, yery large down

Parrot Tulips

Parrot tulips, so called because of their brilliant, parrot like coloring, are large, fantastically showy flowers with curled and

| Admiral Constantinople—Red . . . . \$ .04 8 .35 \$2.25 \$16.00 |
| Cramoisie Brilliant—Deep crimson, with large, black, star-shaped center . . . .04 .35 2.25 16.00 |

g 16 Marriage de Ma Fille-Magnificent

crested petals.

Grown in this manner, there is no more pleasing object for the

Large bulbs ......\$ .05 \$ .50 \$4.00 \$18.00

Polvanthus Narcissus

The Polyanthus varieties are much esteemed for pot culture indoors, continuing in bloom a long time. They flower very freely

Extra Selected Bulbs-For growing in

and all the varieties are very fragrant.

An interesting novelty. Blooms without water or soil. If planted in fall the leaves make their appearance in spring, while it does not come into bloom until fall. It will bloom equally as well out of the ground as in it. If placed on a shelf without soil

or moisture its pretty, pink flowers will appear just the same as if

Chinese Sacred Narcissus

ORIENTAL SACRED LILY.

Bowls for Chinese Sacred Lily.

Charming, hardy, spring-flowering bulbs. Neapolitanum-Flowers white, borne in umbels: useful

SNOWDROPS.

Spiraea

OXALIS.

should be planted not singly, but a number in each pot.

A very pretty and very desirable bulbous plant for pot culture and well adapted for hanging baskets. The graceful flowers are abundantly produced, although the bulbs are quite small. These

Bermuda Buttercup—Bright yellow...... \$ .04 \$ .30 \$2.00

 Bowii—Deep rose
 .04
 .30
 2.00

 Cernua Plena—Double yellow
 .04
 .30
 2.00

....\$ .15 \$1,50

Large bulbs, 15c each; dozen, \$1.25.

produce deliciously fragrant white blossoms.

Original basket, containing 30 bulbs, by express at pur-

Blooms in water; color beautiful golden yellow

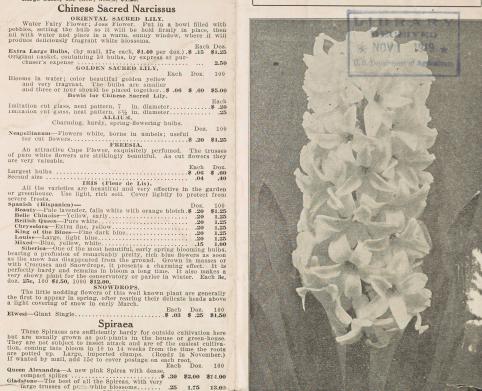
in the ground.

are very valuable.

severe frosts

CURRIE'S

**AUTUMN 1917** 



CURRIE BROS. CO. 384 EAST WATER STREET MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN



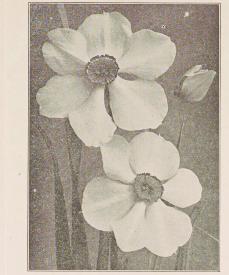
GIANT NAMED CROCUS.	
Cloth of Gold—Golden striped, brown	1000 \$7.50
White varieties Blue and purple. Striped and varieties Striped and varieties Mixed, all colors.  MIXED CROCUS.  \$ .10 \$ .60 Doz. 100 Mixed, all colors.	\$5.00 1000

# Narcissus

No class of bulbs is more satisfactory and none so easily taken care of as the Daffodils. They appear just after the snow and ice of winter and enliven our gardens and lawns. Nothing can excel the beauty and chastity of their blooms, and they have the advantage of being zood for an unlimited number of seasons, if planted out in some spot where they can be allowed to mature their foliage. They are perfectly hardy and withstand our severe winters without protecare perfectly hardy and withstand our severe which which will be given the same treatment as recommended for Hyacinths, either for indoor or outdoor cultivation.

	lach	Doz.	100	1000	
Ard Righ (Irish King)—Large, early yellow	.06	\$ .50	\$3.50	\$25.00	
Barrii Conspicuus—Primrose crown, edg-		.30	1.75	15,00	
Bicolor Victoria—Extra large flower, peri- anth pure white, trumpet yellow	.05	.40	2.50	20.00	
Mammoth Bulbs, producing two or more flowers	.06	.45	3.50	25.00	

Bulbocodium (Large Yellow Hoop Petticoat)-Rich, golden yellow ... Emperor-Very large, deep, full yellow, substance and a robust grower. trumpet large, rich, full yellow, petals trumpet, perianth large and broad .. .05 Mammoth Bulbs, producing two or Each Doz. 100 1000 Leedsi (Mrs. Langtry)—Silver white perianth primrose cup............\$.04 \$.30 \$2.00 \$15.00 Poeticus (Pheasant's Eye)—Snow white, ceding; flowers white, scarlet-margin-



Princeps—Large, yellow trumpet with sulphury perianth.				
Mammoth Bulbs	.04	.30	2.00	15.0
Stella-Early, white perianth and yellow				
crown	.04	.30	2.00	15.0
Sir Watkin—Enormous flowers, trumpet rich yellow, suffused with orange, sulphur perianth	.05	.40	2.50	19.0
Trumpet Major-Dutch (Single Von Sion)	.00	.40	2.00	19.0
-Large, yellow	.04	.35	2.25	17.0
Mixed Trumpet Varieties-All colors	.04	.30	2.00	14.0
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## Double Narcissus

Double Von Sion (True Dute	h)		
Each	Doz.	100	1000
Extra selected large bulbs \$ .05	\$ .40	\$2.50	20.0
Mammoth double nosed bulbs producing			
two or more flowers	.50	3,50	26.0
Alba Plena Odorata-Pure white, sweet			
scented	.30	2.00	15.0
Incomparable (Butter and Eggs)-Sul-			
phur yellow, sweet scented04	.35	2.25	18.0
Orange Phoenix-White and orange05	.40	2.50	20.0
Fine Mixed Double Sorts	.35	2.00	15.0
		2.00	2010
Poetaz Narcissus.			

T O DEGILE T TOTAL DISCOURTS		
Poeticus Ornatus X Polyanthus, Each	Doz.	10
Elvira—Pure white, yellow cup, 3 to 4 large flow- ers on a stem. Easily grown in water. Also perfectly hardy and therefore very desirable		
for outdoor planting	\$ .50	\$3.5
	.40	3.0
Paper White Grandiflora		

imbricated perianth with large wrin-Sacred Lily. CHIONODOXA. In habit and appearance much like Scilla Siberica. Blooms very Lucillae (Glory of the Snow)-Sky blue with ly used for forcing for early cut flowers. There is no more satis-CROWN IMPERIAL-Fritillaria Imperialis. factory bulb for house cultivation. It can be readily brought into bloom for Christmas or earlier. Like the Chinese Sacred Lily, it may be grown in water in a bowl with a few pebbles to keep the

Double Roman-White and yellow...... \$ .07 \$ .75 \$5.75 

## PAPER WHITE GRANDIFLORA

# Jonquils

A species of Narcissus with fragrant, bright yellow flowers, which are produced in great abundance suitable for house and garden culture; requires the same treatment as Narcissus. All the varieties

are perfectly hardy, requiring no protection in winter.

Each Doz. 100 1000 Large Double—Sweet scented......\$ .05 \$0.40 \$2.50 \$20.00 

Doz. 100 1000

It is one of the earliest spring flowering bulbs, and quite hardy. The bulbs should be planted about 5 inches deep.

 Certifus Figure
 .04
 .30
 2.00

 Hirta Rosea—Plnk
 .04
 .30
 2.00

 Multiflora Alba—White
 .04
 .30
 2.00

 Versicolor—White bordered
 .04
 .30
 2.00

WING TO WAR CONDITIONS in Europe the delivery of Dutch Bulbs was very uncertain, we therefore were unable to issue our regular Bulb Catalogue, showing cuts of the different varieties. We were obliged to issue this condensed list on short notice, and hope it will meet with your requirements.

The flowers most loved are those that come early in the spring, after a dreary winter. With great delight we observe the Snowdrop, Crocus, Brilliant Tulips, Stately Hyacinths. These make our gardens and lawns as attractive and interesting as ordinary flowers do in summer.

Why, then, do we not plant a variety of them in abundance?

When once planted, they are good for several years without further trouble.

To have them next spring in all their glory they must be planted this fall.

Make up your order at once, and send it to us before the ground freezes up.

In making out your order, be careful to give your full name and address, write plainly to prevent mistakes and delay.

Our terms are Strictly Cash with order. Remittance may be made at our risk by any of the following methods, viz: Postal Money Order, Draft on New York, Chicago or Milwaukee, or Express Company's Money Order.

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# **Dutch Hyacinths**

## How To Grow Them

Pot Culture-Use a 4 or 5 inch pot for each bulb, a light, rich sandy soil is best. The upper surface of the bulb should show above the soil. After potting, water thoroughly and place in a dark, cool cellar, covered up with sand or ashes until well rooted; this is generally from two to three months. Glass Culture-Fill the glass so that the base of the bulb will just

touch the water and set away in a cool, dark place until well rooted. Change the water frequently.

Outdoor Culture—Plant in October or early November, about 6 inches apart and 5 inches deep. Cover the bed with short manure

## Choice Named Hyacinths

Price 15 Cents Each; \$1.50 per Doz., \$10.00 per 100.
Delivered to any Postoffice or Express Office in the United States. 6 OF ONE KIND AT DOZEN RATES AND 25 AT 100 RATES.

## SINGLE RED AND ROSE.

Garibaldi-Brilliant carmine, early forcer. Gertrude-Rosy Pink, fine truss. Gigantea—Blush pink, very fine truss.

King of Belgium—Bright red, good truss.

La Victoire—Brilliant scarlet, very fine spike, Lord Macaulay-Bright, rosy carmine, white eye. Moreno-Waxy nink large hells Robert Steiger-Bright crimson. Rosea Maxima-Delicate pink, fine truss.

#### SINGLE WHITE.

Albertine-Purest white, early. Baroness van Thuyll—Pure white, large truss. Grandeur a Merveille—Blush-white, fine truss. La Grandesse-Pure white, large truss. L'Innocence-Pure white, large, Mad. Van der Hoop—Pure white, large bells. Voltaire-Blush-white.

#### SINGLE BLUE,

Baron van Thuyll-Dark, large truss. Czar Peter—Porcelain, large spike.

Enchantress—Porcelain blue, white eye, handsome spike. Grand Maitre—Deep porcelain, large truss.
King of the Blues—Deep glossy blue. Marie—Dark blue, shading purple.

Queen of the Blues—Azure blue, large bells. Regulus-Clear, light blue.

#### SINGLE YELLOW.

Ida—Golden yellow, very fine.
King of the Yellows—Bright yellow, compact spike.
MacMahon—Pure yellow, large heavy spike.
Yellow Hammer—Finest pure yellow.

## DOUBLE RED AND ROSE.

Bouquet Tendre-Bright red, fine truss. Grootvorst-Rosy blush, very fine truss Lord Wellington-Finest pink, large bells Prince of Orange-Dark rose, striped, large truss,

#### DOUBLE WHITE.

Bouquet Royal-Pure. Isabella-Blush white, splendid spike. La Virginite-Blush, large bells and spike, Prince of Waterloo-Pure

#### DOUBLE BLUE.

Bloksberg-Porcelain, large bells and truss. Delicata—Fine pale blue, good spike. Garrick—Azure, fine truss. General Anthink-Porcelain blue, dark center. General Koehler-Large, bright blue, fine forcer.

### DOUBLE YELLOW.

Bouquet de Orange-Orange. Goethe-Sulphur vellow, fine truss, Jaune Supreme-Pure. Sunflower-Salmon tinted yellow.

## Choice Mixed Forcing and Bedding Hyacinths

These mixtures are second size bulbs selected from the named varieties, for planting outdoors or for forcing in the greenhouse, where a quantity of bloom is desired. Where only a few bulbs are wanted for specimen plants in pots

or glasses, we would advise using the named sorts Single-

Red and Rose.		Red and	Rose.	
Rose,		Rose.		
Pure white.		Pure wh	nite.	
Blush-white,		Blush-w	hite.	
Dark blue,		Dark bl	ne.	
Light blue.		Light b	lue.	
Yellow,		Yellow.		
Mixed.		Mixed.		
	Each	Doz.	100	1000
ce	\$0.08	\$0.75	85.50	\$45.00
Delivered to any P. O. or	Express Of	fice in th	e U. S.	

## French Roman Hyacinths

Especially valuable for forcing and Pot culture in the house. Planted in October they can be brought into bloom by Christmas. Bulbs should be planted and placed in a dark, cool place for six weeks, then brought to light.

Each	Doz.	100
White	\$1.00	\$7.75
Pink	1.00	7.75
Blue	1.00	7.70

## Miniature or Dutch Roman Hyacinths

Miniature Single Dutch Hyacinths, suitable for early forcing, each bulb giving one or more neat little spikes of bloom. Very pretty in cut flower work and highly ornamental for winter blooming in the house, the most satisfactory results being obtained by planting about a dozen bulbs in a shallow pan 9 inches in diameter. May be

Red and Crimson—Mixed Pure White Blush White Light Blue	Each \$0.05	Doz. \$0.40	100 \$2.75	1000 <b>\$22.00</b>
Dark Blue	)			

## Grape Hyacinths

## (Hyacinthus Muscari.)

miniature	bunches	of gra	flowers pes. Ver	about 6 inche y pretty for	es high, r edging.	Perfect.
hardy.				Doz.		100
				\$0.15	\$1.00	\$ 8.0
White					1.25	10.0

All bulbs except where noted at dozen and 100 prices delivered free to any Postoffice or Express Office in the United States. At 1000 prices by express at purchaser's expense.

## Hyacinth Glasses



Various Colors. Low and tall. Each \$0.20

Doz. \$2.15 By express at purchaser's expense.



## Tulips



Garden Culture of Tulips-Any good soil, well enriched, will suit Tulips. October, or early in November, is the proper time to plant them. Set them 4 or 5 inches apart, and about 4 inches deep. Pro-tect during severe months of winter with a covering of straw or All the early Tulips are adapted for pot culture in the house.

The Duc Van Tholl varieties can be forced into bloom for Christmas.

Plant at least three or four bulbs in each pot. The earliest blooming varieties are marked a, next b, and so on in their order. The number before the name denotes the heights of their growth in inches. 25 bulbs at 100 rate: 250 at 1,000 rate.

## Early Single Tulips

		E	ach	Doz.	100	1000
c	9	Artus-Pure scarlet	.04	\$ .35	\$2.00	\$15.00
c	9	Belle Alliance-Bright scarlet, sweet				
-		scented	.05	.40	2.50	20.00
c	9	Brilliant Star-Bright vermillion	100	*10		
C		scarlet, black center, a most				
		beautiful tulip	.06	.75	5.00	
1.	0	Deauthul tunp	.05	.40	2.50	20.00
b	9	Canary Bird—Yellow				
c	8	Chrysolora-Fine yellow	.04	.35	2.00	16.00
c	8	Couleur Ponceau-Rose and white	.04	.35	2.00	20.00
e	8	Cottage Boy-Yellow edged orange,				
		very distinct, fine bedder	.05	.45	2.65	21.00
C	8	Cottage Maid-Rose, border white,				
		true	.04	.35	2,00	15.00
C	10	Crimson Brilliant-Dazzling crim-				
-		son scarlet, fine early forcer	.05	.40	2.50	20.00
c	8	Crimson King-Fine crimson	.04	.35	2.00	15.00
a	7	Duc Van Tholl-Scarlet	.04	.35	2.25	16.00
a	7	Duc Van Tholl—Crimson	.04	.35	2.25	16.00
	6	Duc Van Tholl—White	.04	.35	2.00	15.00
a		Duc Van Tholl—Yellow	.05	.40	2.50	19.00
8.	6					
a	6	Duv Van Tholl-Rose	.04	.35	2.50	18.00
а	6	Duc Van Tholl-Red and yellow	.04	.35	2.50	18.00
c	10	Duchess de Parma-Orange yellow,				
		fine	.04	.35	2.25	18.00



CURRIE BROS. CO., MILWAUKEE WIS.

c 10 Dusart-Finest large, dark scarlet .04

c 8 Flamingo-Brilliant rosy red on white ground, flowers large, fine

## .80.25 \$1.50

Single Late Flowering or Cottage	Tulip	8
Double Extra Fine Mixed	2.00	10.00
Double Fine Mixed	1.75	9.00
Single Extra Fine Mixed	1.75	9.00

during the latter part of May. They are much more showy than the early varieties, on account of their brilliant colorings and long flower stems, and remain in bloom for a long time. Each Doz. 100 1000 Bouton d'Or-Pure vellow, very fine ... \$ .04 \$ .35 \$2.50 \$18.00 Elegans-Dark crimson, reflexing petals. .05 .40 2.75 Fairy Queen-A very large, beautiful

A magnificent class of late flowering Tulips, coming into bloom

Gesneriana Major-Large dazzling, bril-.35 2.25 17.00 liant scarlet, blue center. Inglescombe Pink (Salmon Queen)—Sal-Inglescombe Yellow-Canary yellow, in shape resembling the Darwin tulins. .06 Isabella (Shandon Bells)-Large, salmon La Merveille-Scarlet, suffused with apri Maiden's Blush (Picotee)-Large, white, suffused bright red, strikingly beau-"tiful, choice mixed sorts . . Retroflexa-A charming shaped, rich yellow flower . Royal White-Very large, white. 05 .45 3.00 ..... Striped Beauty-Large, showy flower, flamed white and cherry red.

flower, rosy heliotrope margined with

Breeder Tulips

Old Dutch self colored Tulips which have been neglected for many years, the present taste for artistic colors, has, however, called them into prominence once more. Nature's happiest color combina-

tions of Purple and Bronze, Grey and Lilac, Yellow and Bronze, Brown and Orange, are revealed to us in this group. The flowers are mostly large, but of perfect form and are borne on tall, strong

Black Chief—Dark purple black.

Cardinal Manning—Blend of mauve and rose changes to orange. Grand Maitre-Deep purplish violet.

Jaune d'Oeuf-Golden, outside petal shaded apricot.

Mary Hollis-Soft cerise carmine.

## Darwin Tulips

Brilliant, self-colored single late Tulips of immense size, borne on strong stems, many of them 2 feet high. The blooms are of almost every conceivable color, from pale blush to the brightest red, lilac, light blue and purple to almost black, etc

Darwins have become wonderfully popular during the past few years, a fact not surprising to those acquainted with the perfect beauty of their form and substance, their rich, brilliant colors, their long, straight, stiff stems, the persistence of their blooming period and their adaptability either to outdoor growing or forcing under glass. Most of the varieties may easily be forced indoors by midwinter or the end of February.

Baron de La Tonnaye-Vivid rose, one of the best.\$ .05 \$ .40 \$2.75

Dream-Large lilac rose . . Europe—Fine scarlet with striking white base... Glow-Brilliant vermillion, center blue, margined Gretchen (Margaret)-Charming, soft blush shad-Kate Greenaway-A grand flower, white suffused La Tulipe Noire-The famous black tulip. Loveliness-Fine, soft, rosy pink. .05 .45 Madame Krelage-Bright rose, light bordered; large fine flower. Massachusetts-Bright rose May Queen-Soft, rose, large and beautiful .45 3.00 Mr. Farncombe Sanders-Extra fine, brilliant aranga scarlet Mrs, Cleveland-Soft, flesh color, Ouida-Fiery red, very fine, tall, erect, brilliant Painted Lady-Creamy white . . . Pride of Harlem-An immense flower, brilliant carmine rose, blue at base . . Psyche-Soft rose, silvery rose inside, large, long-The Sultan-Velvety black maroon, large and Wm. Copeland-Bright rosy lilac, splendid for early forcing .... Each Doz. Fine Mixed Darwin Tulips...... \$ .05 \$ .40 \$2.50 \$20.00

## Early Double Flowering Tulips

a 9 Blanche Hative-Large, early, semidouble, white .. 8 Cochineal—Large vermillion scarlet .05 Couronne des Roses-Finest rose. .05 Duke of York-Violet and white ... Gloria Solis-Brown and vellow ... Imperator Rubrorum-Fine scarlet La Candeur-Pure white, finest ... 2.00 Lady Palmerston-Rosy pink . . . 3.00 23.00 Lucretia-Beautiful deep rose ... .35 Rex Rubrorum—Fine scarlet. .05 .40 2.50 20.00 Rubra Maxima-Deep crimson fine hedder and forcer .40 3.00 21.00 Salvator Rosa-Fine rose .. .05 c 7 Toreador (New)-Scarlet, margined yellow, magnificent forcer ... Tournesoll-Bright red and yellow .05 .45 3.00 23.00 .45 3.00 22.00 Tournesoll-Yellow . . c 8 Vuurbaak—Dazzling scarlet, large, very double; fine for bedding or 9.00 Fine Mixed-Early Extra Fine Mixed-Early.

Sweet Nancy-White, edged pink ..... .05

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2.50 20.00

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LATE DOUBLE TULIPS. g 17 Blue Flag (Blue Celeste)-Violet blue, enormous flowers, ...... .10 1.00 8.00